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20 February 1952

MEMORANDUM TO AG OF S, G2

SUBJECT: Pater Marcel VAN CUTSEM, aka Father VAN CUTSEM, aka VAN KUTSEM

1. The following is a brief resume of information pertaining to Subject as reflected in the files of G2:

a. A CIC VIENNA report, dated 20 November 1947, lists Father VAN CUTSEM, a Jesuit priest residing at Glockengießerstraße 12, SALZBURG, as being active in Vatican Intelligence. The report also indicated that Subject was in contact with the Special Agent in Charge, CIC Sub-Section BRAUNAU.

b. According to C-3 information presented in CIC HALLEIN report, dated 4 March 1948, Subject was born 28 April 1909 in ANTWERP, Belgium. He is reported to be a bona-fide representative of the Vatican ("Russian Section"), who is commissioned mainly with the gathering of highly classified intelligence and investigation missions. He speaks Russian fluently, has a thorough knowledge of Russian affairs, and occupies himself with furnishing assistance to anti-Soviet Russian PPs, particularly prominent political and Russian Orthodox personalities.

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